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WENTWORTH INSPECTED

Maj. Andrew Moses, U. S. A., Sees Work of Academy.

Friday was the day which the students and faculty of Wentworth Military academy consider the most important of the year; for the United States Army inspector was here and his report will decide whether the academy will continue to be ranked as an "Honor School."

Maj. Andrew Moses, Coast Artillery, is the inspector this year. He arrived Wednesday night from Boonville, where he had inspected Kemper Military school. During his visit in Lexington he was entertained at the home of Maj. R. P. Palmer, military instructor of the academy.

The day of the inspection was a busy one. Fortunately the rain of the previous day had ceased and the air was cool and clear. At 8:30 a. m. Major Moses reached the academy campus. Immediately the guard was turned out and he inspected it. Then followed the ceremony on guard mount.

After this came the other formal ceremonies—escort to color, parade and battalion inspection. At these formations the cadets wore the gray and made a pretty appearance. A number of visitors from town witnessed the proceedings.

When the ceremonies were concluded, the battalion changed to the khaki garb and the detachments drilled. There were three branches of the signal corps: heliograph, telegraph, and semaphore. Messages were sent and received by each of the branches. The other detachments were the artillery squad, the hospital corps, and the engineering corps. The hospital detachment gave various exhibitions of first aid. Most interesting of these was the resuscitation of a drowning soldier, who had jumped into the pool to make his appearance realistic. The engineering detachment had on exhibition a varied assortment of trenches, bridges, entanglements and other fortifications. On the third floor of the barracks this detachment had constructed model trenches of different kinds with sand and clay.

After visiting these exhibits, Major Moses inspected the ca-

Death of Miss Elizabeth Steele.

Miss Elizabeth Steele died Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of her sister, Mrs. John M. Craig of this city, after a brief illness. Her death was due to heart trouble. Miss Steele had been an invalid the greater part of her life. For the past twenty-two years she had lived with her sister, Mrs. Craig, who gave her every attention through the years of her infirmity.

Miss Steele was born in Saline county, February 25, 1843. In 1859 during the pastorate of Dr. J. M. Chaney, she united with the Presbyterian church at Dover. She lived a patient, earnest Christian life, and was loved by all who knew her.

Besides her sister, Mrs. J. M. Craig, she is survived by one brother, Harrison Steele, of Waverly, Mo.

The funeral services conducted by Rev. S. O. Hall was held at Waverly Sunday morning.

Wentworth 3; K. C. U. 0.

Wentworth's star pitcher, Fletcher, hurled his team to an easy victory over the Kansas City University Monday, and made seventeen strikeouts during the game. Only two hits were made off his delivery, and one of these was not allowed because the batter hit out of turn.

The cadets made nine hits, and had little difficulty in scoring, while K. C. U. had only one runner as far as third, and he was caught napping off the base.

Batteries: Wentworth—Fletcher and Tarlan. K. C. U.—White and Wheat.

cadets' quarters, the mess hall and kitchen. Then he took dinner with the battalion in the mess hall. Following dinner the teachers and cadet officers were presented him. Then the battalion was marched about three miles east of town and an intricate problem was worked out. The cadets showed a good knowledge of field tactics.

Major Moses is an affable gentleman, and was much liked by those who met him. The drills were well executed and the equipment of the academy was in good condition. The officers of the institution are expecting another good report.

375 STUDENTS WILL GRADUATE FROM M. U.

Annual Commencement This Year Expected to Bring Many of the 5,000 Alumni.

Nearly 400 men and women will receive degrees from the University of Missouri at the annual Commencement Exercises this year.

Those of the 5,000 graduates of the University, scattered throughout the world, who return for Commencement Week will be treated to an excellent program.

On May 28 and 29 the Missouri Valley Conference Track Meet will be held on Rollins Field. Sunday, May 30, the baccalaureate address will be given to the graduating class and visitors. Monday evening, May 31, will open the second annual Horse Show. Special lighting arrangements have been made on Rollins Field. Tuesday afternoon the Horse Show will continue. Tuesday will also be the day of the Senior Class Day Exercises. Wednesday, June 2, is Alumni Day, especially set aside for the entertainment of the old "grads" who return to visit the University.

From May 31 to June 5 will be "Stunt Week." The students of the School of Journalism will publish their annual "yellow" extra, and members of this same division will give a play in the University Auditorium. The "yellow" extra is got up after the fashion of the country's yellow journals, and the news is made as sensational as possible. Wednesday evening the annual play of the University woman will be given on the campus. About 50 characters will take part in a Rostand play, "The Romancers." Thursday, June 3, will be Commencement Day, with the Commencement address, and the granting of degrees to the graduates of the University in the morning. The annual alumni luncheon will be held at 1 o'clock that day. Students of the School of Law will have a banquet June 2. This banquet will take the place of an annual "stunt" usually given by the "lawyers." Other events are also to be added to the week's program.

Off For Frisco.

Ike Gratz accompanied by Geo. McKean, chauffeur, and Gus Holmgren, cook, left Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock for San Francisco. Mr. Gratz is making the trip in the same car he used on his eastern trip in 1913.

T. C. Sawyer, E. N. Hopkins, John Chamberlain and John N. Sturgis chaperoned by Wm. T. Tutt, spent the day Wednesday fishing in a pond at Higginsville. The catch, as far as we are able to learn, consisted of one bass 7 1/2 inches long, and still another bass 3 inches long. Their stories are somewhat conflicting, but after making proper deductions, the above mentioned catch is approximately correct.

Deputy Sheriff Kelley of Higginsville brought Thomas Gordon, a negro, and E. R. Jones to Lexington Wednesday to serve twenty-one days in the county jail for disturbing the peace.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Millikin of Pasadena, California, announce the birth of a daughter. Mrs. Millikin was formerly Miss Virginia Floyd Greene of this city.

Run Over And Killed.

Mack Vaughan, colored, who was employed by Jackson Bradley, came into town Saturday driving a team of mules. On his return he had gotten as far as Mr. Bradley's mail box and had put the mail in the wagon. The team of mules went on home without him. Mr. Bradley immediately started out to find Vaughan, and found him near the mail box where he had been run over. The wheels had passed over his neck and crushed it. He lived only a short time after he was found. Mr. Bradley notified the coroner who sent the ambulance out for the body.

Death of Mrs. Walter Small.

Mrs. Walter Small died at her home near Mayview, Sunday morning at 1 o'clock, after a week's illness of paralysis.

Mrs. Small is survived by her husband and five children. The funeral was held from the home Monday morning at 10 o'clock and the remains were brought to Lexington for burial.

Ottawa 4; Wentworth 2.

Saturday afternoon in one of the fastest games witnessed on the Academy diamond this season, the Ottawa University baseball team nosed out the Wentworth boys in the twelfth inning by a majority of two. The first nine innings were played in less than an hour and a half, and the entire game lasted only an hour and forty-five minutes. Rea for Wentworth and Taylor of Ottawa disposed of the batters in the quickest possible way. In the twelfth Rea weakened and Ottawa scored two runs and won the game.

Batteries—Ottawa: Taylor and Banning; Wentworth: Rea and Harlan.

Greys 6; K. C. S. Club 4.

Sunday afternoon the Lexington Greys tucked another game away in the win column by defeating the Kansas City Social Club of Kansas City, Kansas, by a score of 6 to 4. The game was interesting throughout.

Purse Snatcher Caught.

George Gatewood, the negro who snatched the purse containing \$44 from Henry Dickmeier in the alley back of the Pin Ton Wednesday noon, was arrested in Kansas City Saturday night. City Marshal Charles Kinkad went to Kansas City Monday morning after the prisoner.

In Police Court.

John Wise, William Manard and Louis Meyer were fined \$7.15 each for drunkenness. Susie Brooks was fined \$6.70 for disturbing the peace.

Miss Nelle Keys, who was compelled to leave the employ of the Lexington Mercantile Co., and enter the German Hospital in Kansas City for treatment, has entirely recovered and is again in charge of the Millinery Department. She has been spending the past week in Kansas City looking into the mid-summer styles.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Barron and little daughter, Florence, returned to their home in Kansas City Sunday evening after a visit here with Mr. Barron's mother, Mrs. Harriett Barron.

Joseph Harney of Scammon, Kansas, spent Sunday here with relatives.

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Big Athletic Meet At M. U. This Month.

Missourians will have a chance to see the best athletes in the Missouri Valley in competition when the eighth annual track and field meet of the Missouri Valley Conference is held at the University of Missouri at Columbia Friday and Saturday, May 28 and 29, as the opening event of Commencement Week.

Invitations and entry blanks have been sent to about 100 universities and colleges in Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska and Missouri. The members of the conference are Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, Drake, Washington, Iowa State College and Kansas State College. Besides these, many of the smaller colleges will send men. In Missouri, Westminster, Central, Drury and William Jewell will be represented.

This year is the first time the meet has ever been held in so small a place as Columbia. Previous meets have always been held in St. Louis, Kansas City or Des Moines. Special arrangements have been made for the transportation and accommodation of the visitors and participants in the meet. This usually large athletic event is expected to bring hundreds of Missourians to Columbia.

In 1911, 1912 and 1913 the University of Missouri won the meet thereby becoming the permanent owner of a big silver trophy cup. No other school has ever won three of the meets. The first was won by Ames with 52 points. Nebraska won in 1909 with 30 points. Kansas won with 30 points in 1910. Missouri won in 1911 with 40 points; in 1912 with 60 1/2 points; in 1913 with 42 points. In 1914, University of Chicago won.

The preliminaries will be held Friday afternoon, May 28, and the finals Saturday afternoon.

Miss Nellie Rundberg returned to her home in Kansas City Sunday evening after a visit here with the family of L. S. Davis.

Mrs. Milton Hessel of Kearney, Mo., arrived Saturday evening for a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Zimmerman.



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